

REMARKS

Applicant respectfully submits the present Corrected Official Response in compliance with the requirements of 37 CFR 1.121.

The foregoing amendments to the claims have been made to more particularly point out and distinctly claim the subject matter which applicant respectively regards as the claimed invention and to broaden each of the claims respective scopes rather than to avoid the prior art.

Applicants respectfully requests reconsideration of this application as amended. Claims 1-23 are pending in the application. Claims 1-23 are rejected. Claims 1 and 4 are amended.

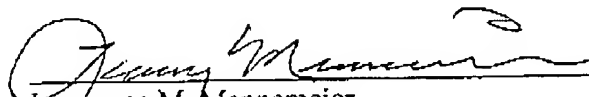
In addition, Applicant respectfully requests consideration of the arguments submitted on November 24, 2006 in response to the Office Action mailed May 23, 2006.

Applicant respectfully submits the present claims for allowance. If the Examiner believes a telephone conference would expedite or assist in the allowance of the present application, the Examiner is invited to call Lawrence Mennemeier at (408) 765-2194.

Authorization is hereby given to charge our Deposit Account No. 02-2666 for any charges that may be due.

Respectfully submitted,

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